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AMEMBASSY PARIS

C O N F I D E N T I A L COPENHAGEN 2586

POST FOR DEA. DEA HQS WASHDC ATTN: EOI MR. CUSACK

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OGEN, SNAR, DA

SUBJECT: DEA STAFFING IN DENMARK

REF COPENHAGEN 3115 OF NOV 5, 1974 AND PREVIOUS

1. EMBASSY HAS CAREFULLY MONITORED DEA WORKLOAD SINCE MAY ARRIVAL OF SAIC FORTIER, NOW CONCLUDES THAT WORKLOAD LEVELS, GROWING DRUG PROBLEM, AND NEED FOR ADDITIONAL DEA COORDINATION OF DRUG ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITIES IN SCANDINAVIAN COUNTRIES JUSTIFIES ASSIGNMENT OF BACKUP AGENT TO SAIC FORTIER.

2. CONSULTATIONS WITH FORTIER INDICATE THAT NEED IS FOR DANISH-SPEAKING AGENT WHO CAN WORK CLOSELY WITH POLICE ON DAY-TO-DAY BASIS. FORTIER OF THE OPINION S/A BENNY MANGOR HAS PREVIOUSLY BEEN SELECTED BY DEA CAREER MANAGEMENT PROCESS AND IS AWAITING THIS ASSIGNMENT. EMBASSY UNDERSTANDS MANGOR IS DANISH-AMERICAN AND FLUENT IN DANISH, BUT IF MANGOR NOT SELECTED, FORTIER RECOMMENDS THAT SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATE HAVE FSI TRAINING IN DANISH PRIOR TO DEPARTURE FOR POST.

3. SECOND DEA AGENT WOULD FIT INTO EMBASSY SPACE

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PRESENTLY ASSIGNED TO DEA, WITHOUT NEED FOR ALLOTMENT OF

ADDITIONAL SPACE OR PROCUREMENT OF ADDITIONAL OFFICE
FURNITURE.

4. EMBASSY REQUEST ASSIGNMENT OF BACKUP AGENT AS
SOON AS POSSIBLE TO MAINTAIN MOMENTUM ALREADY ACHIEVED
BY SAIDC. PLEASE ADVISE.
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